

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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Title : Process for Identifying Compounds Suitable for Treatment And/or
Prophylaxis of Obesity

REPLY

Mail Stop AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

The following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted in response to the Office Action dated December 15, 2006.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 3 of this paper.